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In 1890 William McKinley was burned in effigy in the English manufacturing city of Sheffield; but in 1891 William L. Wilson was dined and wined in London because he is the author of a Free-trade Tariff Bill. These are significant facts.

COLONEL JOHN C. WOOD of Mt. Sterling, who was announced as a candidate for Railroad Commissioner before the recent landslide is still in the field. In the absence of any "favorite son," the Republicans of Mason should bear Mr. Wood in mind.

WHILE factories are everywhere starting up under the assurance that there will be no more tinkering with the Tariff by mischievous Democracy, wages continue to be cut to fit the conditions of the new Tariff Bill that Democracy has prepared for American working-men.

THE coldest place in the world is Yakutsk, Russia. Sometimes the mercury drops to 73 degrees below zero—
News item.

Yakutsk isn't in it a little bit. You just had better be in JIM KEROU's office the morning after the election. The mercury danced the Fisher's Hornpipe 41-14 degrees below zero. Cairo.

ONK of the "economical" strokes of this "economically administered" Democratic Administration is the cessation of work on the official records of the War of the Rebellion. The ninety-fourth volume was issued some months ago, and the chances are that no more will be gotten out until a Republican Congress provides the money.

THOMAS J. YOUNG of Louisville has bought an interest in The Bath County Banner, a Republican paper, and will take charge as editor on the 8th of December. Mr. YOUNG has been a lifelong Democrat, but has made a radical and entire change in his politics. Nor is he the only one who has been brought to a realization of the dangers that threaten under Democratic ideas.

THE Editor of THE LEDGER is probably the only one who regards The Bulletin's comments on the late vote at the Tollgate Precinct as a "slam" at any Democrat. Does the Editor of THE LEDGER believe that the increase of thirty-four in the Republican vote in that Precinct is an honest one? —*Bulletin*.

Does the Editor of THE LEDGER still insist that the Democratic election officers at the Tollgate Precinct permitted thirty-four illegal Republicans to be cast? Who's a think it?

FLEMING county Republicans have a nomination to present for the state ticket in the person of Hon. JOHN P. McCARTNEY for Attorney General. His name would not only go to make up a strong ticket, but it would contribute largely to an able one. It will be remembered that two years ago Mr. McCARTNEY was the Republican candidate who opposed THOMAS H. PAYNTER for Congress in this District. During his canvass of that campaign he made an impression that has given him prestige and influence in this section, and a position amongst the prominent Republicans of the state. He is young and successful, but one of the most able and successful attorneys in this part of the state. He strongly favored Congressman-elect PROUD during the recent campaign, and stamp the District in his interest.

"Fair county hangman," "the stuffed saloon," "a saloon stool-pigeon," are choice expressions of THE PUBLIC LEDGER in referring to the President of the United States nowadays. The Editor of THE P. L. didn't think when he was Postmaster—*Bulletin*.

Will some one please give MARSH a dose of paregoric and assafetida? His little belly continues to ache because TOM PAYNTER and FRANK JONES and BILL BUSSELL and GROVER CLEVELAND didn't give him the Postoffice. Well, Brother, we hope you will pull through; and if THE P. L. didn't score GROVE formerly it was because the "stuffed prophet" had not then developed a genuine case of pig-headosis. THE LEDGER has always felt free to praise or condemn, as the circumstances required.

The ponderous message of President CLEVELAND is before the country. It contains 16,000 words. About the only part of it that is worth considering is the President's statement of the financial condition. The country had already been made aware of the fact that in the income of the Government, as compared with the expenditures, there was a deficit. This was reduced to figures, and the President mentions those for the last fiscal year as \$50,000,000, while he also estimates the deficit for the next fiscal year at \$20,000,000. Why this discouraging result? Up to the incoming of his Administration there was not a deficit; on the contrary, there was a surplus. The deficit began to show itself when the country, in 1892, decided in favor of the Democratic policy of Free-trade. No Republicans could have written a stronger protest against the policy of his Administration, and his party than has been written by the President himself. It must now be accepted by all good Democrats that GROVER and his gang are incompetent to handle the affairs of Government, for GROVER himself has said it.

Last night the frost was on the punkin', and no mistake.

Died at Orlando.

Just AS THE LEDGER goes to press news comes that Mrs. Vina Strode Poyntz, wife of Mr. Nat Poyntz, formerly of this city, died in Orlando, Fla., December 14th at 8 o'clock.

Lager.

The new chewing tobacco is the most lasting and pleasing chew. See that your dealer can supply you. It contains no nicotine. C. A. Raine & Co., Manufacturers, Danville, Va.

Oho's Poor.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 5.—Mr. Jos. Byers, clerk of state of state char-

acter, has called a committee to the capital to return the money of the state.

It is shown that the whole number of persons maintained in the county infirmary in this year was 1,250, before an increase over last year of 270.

This increase was principally in the male population of the poor-houses.

The per cent. of illiteracy among these unfortunate persons is 30. Thirty-four per cent. were unable to write, but it is notable that they were nearly all persons of foreign birth. The educated man or woman is shown to have better chance for support.

Suit Against Express Companies.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 5.—Mr. Jos. Byers, attorney-at-law, has filed a suit against the express companies.

He claims that the express companies charged him \$1,000 for the carriage of \$100 in gold.

Frank J. CHENey.

Sworn to before me on this day of December, A. D. Inst.

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Correspondents will give their names and addresses to us rather than to others a.m. One facts in as few words as possible. We would like to have news in this department, and not advertising notices or political announcements.

OUR AGENTS.
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Mr. Goldsmith—James Thomas.

Subscribers will save the trouble of letter writing by paying their subscriptions to the Agent at Frankfort.

ORANGEBURG.

Born to the wife of Dave Dickson, a fine boy.

The Tully of Mt. Carmel was the guest of her parents last week.

Mr. Hampton has purchased the farm belonging to the Bullocks.

Miss Nellie Perrine was the guest of Miss Mary Williams.

A house belonging to Mr. Bullock was destroyed by fire last week.

Pearl Thomas of Barberville is very ill at Hamilton College, Lexington.

Miss Kate Mayhugh of Moraburg spent Thanksgiving with her parents.

Rev. Smith of Lexington has been employed as Pastor of the Christian Church here.

Bessie Dickson of Rectorville was in the neighborhood last week soliciting music pupils.

John Wells of Moraburg was visiting friends in this neighborhood last Saturday and Sunday.

The Wilson brothers are having the warehouse on the place recently purchased by them, converted into a store room.

The Thanksgiving entertainment given by the Christian Endeavor was a decided success. A special program was arranged and an elegant lunch served.

Quite a large crowd was present and the proceeds will be used for charitable purposes.

CHANGES IN THE HOUSE.

How Those Who Voted For the Wilson Bill Fared.

There will be in the next House 244 Republicans, 104 Democrats, 6 Populists, 1 Silver man, and there is one vacancy, caused by the death of Mr. Wright of the First District, who was a member of the Republicans. There are 218 Democrats in the present House, and of these there were but 76 re-elected. One hundred and eleven are succeeded by Republicans, 3 by Populists and 23 by Democrats who were named in their places.

Of those who voted for the Wilson Bill as it passed the House in February, 6 Populists were defeated for re-election, along with 59 Democrats. The successors of 58 of these will be Republicans and 2 Populists. One Democrat who supported the Wilson Bill, and did not get renomination, will be succeeded by a Populist while the one who voted for it and did not seek renomination, becomes Republican successors. There were 16 Democrats who opposed the Wilson Bill, and of these 7 were defeated, 1 by a Tammany Democrat, and 6 by Republicans. Five did not seek re-election. 4 will find Republicans occupying their places in the next Congress, while 1 gives way to another Democrat. But 4 of that 16 were re-elected. The Populists come from Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, Alabama and North Carolina, each of which states send 1, except North Carolina, which elects 2.

Mr. Charlton Alexander, the Paris banker, who owns about 1,000 acres near Hutchinson, Indiana, which he yearly rents to 500 head of cattle, has a very large, and from which he annually sells a big bunch of splendid cattle, has just sold to M. Goldsmith 545 head of Durham steers averaging 1,800 pounds. The entire bunch brought \$60,000. They will be shipped to England and France for Christmas beef.

Wolfe county tied on her vote for Sheriff. The friends of both got together and decided to divide the profits of the office equally and draw straws for the honor of being called Sheriff. The Republican, Wilson, won and the Democrat, Combs, will be Chief Deputy. That isn't a bad arrangement and beats contests all hollow. Next time, perhaps, the Democrat may have the name and the Republicans get half the usufruct.

Hot Beef Tea. 5 cents a mug.

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Peebles' fancy Wines, Whisky and Brandies for Christmas. T. J. Cheneau Drugist, sole agent for Maysville, Ky.

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C. A. Raine & Co., Manufacturers, Danville, Va.

Don't forget the Exchange that is to be given by the young ladies of the Central Presbyterian Church December 6th, 7th, 8th, 10th, 11th and 12th. Fancy work, dolls, toys and candies. Come one, come all.

If you need spectacles or eye glasses, don't have them fitted in the old haphazard way by any one who may have them for sale. Consult us. We examine your eyes scientifically and make the glasses to fit. We can give you the names of hundreds from our prescription book who have been successfully fitted by our method who never had glasses to suit them before. We guarantee satisfaction in every case, and make no charge for examination. Ballenger, Jeweler.

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